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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 29, 2008, Applicant submits the following:

> Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper; and Remarks, which begin on page 5 of this paper.